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FOR:	<b>INFORMATION EXCHANGING SYSTEM, INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TERMINAL, INFORMATION EXCHANGING METHOD, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT</b>

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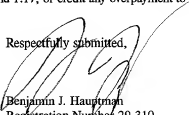
- ☒ **56** page(s) of Specification, Claims and Abstract
- ☒ **14** sheet(s) of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawings
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- ☒ Claim of Priority under 35 U.S.C. ' 119
- ☒ Certified copy of **Japanese Application No.'s 2001-094347 & 2001-175-874**
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